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#### LOK SABHA

The following Bill was introduced in Lok Sabha on 16th December, 1994:—

## BILL No. 111 of 1994

A Bill to provide for charging of expenses of Election Commission on the Consolidated Fund of India.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Forty-fifth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Election Commission (Charging of Expenses on the Consolidated Fund of India) Act, 1994.

Short title.

- 2. The following expenses of the Election Commission, referred to in article 324 of the Constitution, shall be charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India namely:—
  - (a) all salaries, allowances and pensions payable to, or in respect of, the Chief Election Commissioner and other Election Commissioners appointed under clause (2) of article 324 of the Constitution.
  - (b) the administrative expenses of the Election Commission, including all salaries, allowances and pensions payable to, or in respect of the staff of the Election Commission.

Expendilure to be charged on the Consolidated Fund of India.

### STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

In order to secure their independent functioning, the salaries, allowances and pensions payable to or in respect of Judges of the Supreme Court and the Comptroller and Auditor General are declared to be expenditure charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India. Similarly, the administrative expenses of the Supreme Court and the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General including the salaries, allowances and pension payable to the officers and servants of the Supreme Court and offices of the Indian Audit and Accounts Department and the Union Public Service Commission are declared to be expenditure charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India.

- 2. Article 112(3)(g) of the Constitution provides that any expenditure declared by the Constitution or by the Parliament by law to be so charged, shall also be expenditure charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India.
- 3. To ensure the independent functioning of the Election Commission, it is proposed to declare the expenditure of Election Commission as expenditure charged upon the Consolidated Fund of India, like the expenditure relating to the above constitutional functionaries.
  - 4. The Bill seeks to achieve the above object.

NEW DELHI;

The 1st December, 1994.

H. R. BHARDWAJ.

R. C. BHARDWAJ. Secretary-General.